



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: U.S. Patent Application of Richard Norman et al.
App. No.: 10/606,886 Group Art Unit: 2829
Filed: June 27, 2003 Examiner: Tung X. NGUYEN
For: FLEXIBLE CONNECTING DEVICE FOR INTERFACING WITH A
WAFER

Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance

Commissioner for Patents
Attention : Issue Fee Branch
Alexandria Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam :

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(e), the applicant respectfully disagrees with the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, to the extent that the Statement might be construed in any way to limit the scope of the allowed claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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